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Ms. Marlene Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW, Room TWB-204
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Notice of Oral Ex Parte Communication, In the Matter of Review of the Section 251 Unbundling Obligations of Incumbent Local Exchange Carriers, CC Docket Nos. 01-338, 96-98 and 98-147

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On January 17, 2003, Bob Quinn and the undersigned, representing AT&T, met with Matt Brill, Legal Advisor to Commissioner Kathleen Abernathy. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss (1) the detailed and significant economic impairments faced by CLECs in the provision of service to residential and small business customers in a UNE-L environment; (2) the evidence supporting CLEC impairment as it relates to UNE transport; and (3) the lack of any evidence supporting the continued imposition of any use and/or commingling restrictions. All comments at the meeting were consistent with AT&T's previously-filed comments in this proceeding, and specifically with AT&T's submissions on commingling and use restrictions, as filed in this proceeding.

Consistent with Commission rules, I am filing one electronic copy of this notice and request that you place it in the record of the above-referenced proceedings.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "JM" followed by a long horizontal line.

Joan Marsh

cc: Matt Brill
Thomas Navin
Jeremy Miller